

**AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER**Docket No.  
1110-0288PApplication No.  
09/963,373-Conf. #9448Filing Date  
September 27, 2001Examiner  
M. R. MiliaArt Unit  
2625

Applicant(s): Hiroaki NAKAMURA

Invention: IMAGE PROCESSING APPARATUS

MS RCE

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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

The fee has been calculated and is transmitted as shown below.

CLAIMS AS AMENDED					
	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest Number Previously Paid	Number Extra Claims Present	Rate	
Total Claims	20	- 20 =		x	
Independent Claims	2	- 3 =		x	
Multiple Dependent Claims (check if applicable) <input type="checkbox"/>					
Other fee (please specify): Request for continued examination (RCE) (see 37 CFR 1.114); Extension for response within third month (1 Extension paid 4/5/2006)					1690.00
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT:					1690.00

☒ Large Entity☐ Small Entity☐ No additional fee is required for this amendment.☐ Please charge Deposit Account No. 02-2448 in the amount of \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.☒ A check in the amount of \$ 1,690.00 is enclosed.☐ Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge and credit Deposit Account No. 02-2448  
as described below. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.☒ Credit any overpayment.☒ Charge any additional filing or application processing fees required under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17.

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<b>Effective on 12/08/2004.</b> <b>Fees pursuant to the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2005 (H.R. 4818).</b>		<b>Complete if Known</b>	
<b>FEE TRANSMITTAL</b> <b>For FY 2005</b>		Application Number	09/963,373-Conf. #9448
		Filing Date	September 27, 2001
		First Named Inventor	Hiroaki NAKAMURA
		Examiner Name	M. R. Milia
		Art Unit	2625
<input type="checkbox"/> Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27		Attorney Docket No.	1110-0288P
<b>TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT</b>		<b>(\$)</b>	1690.00

<b>METHOD OF PAYMENT</b> (check all that apply)	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Check	<input type="checkbox"/> Credit Card
<input type="checkbox"/> Money Order	<input type="checkbox"/> None
<input type="checkbox"/> Other (please identify): _____	
<input type="checkbox"/> Deposit Account	Deposit Account Number: <u>02-2448</u> Deposit Account Name: <u>Birch, Stewart, Kolasch &amp; Birch, LLP</u>
For the above-identified deposit account, the Director is hereby authorized to: (check all that apply)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Charge fee(s) indicated below	<input type="checkbox"/> Charge fee(s) indicated below, except for the filing fee
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Charge any additional fee(s) or underpayment of fee(s) under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Credit any overpayments

<b>FEE CALCULATION</b>							
<b>1. BASIC FILING, SEARCH, AND EXAMINATION FEES</b>							
	<b>FILING FEES</b>		<b>SEARCH FEES</b>		<b>EXAMINATION FEES</b>		
		<u>Small Entity</u>		<u>Small Entity</u>		<u>Small Entity</u>	
<b>Application Type</b>	<b>Fee (\$)</b>	<b>Fee (\$)</b>	<b>Fee (\$)</b>	<b>Fee (\$)</b>	<b>Fee (\$)</b>	<b>Fee (\$)</b>	<b>Fees Paid (\$)</b>
Utility	300	150	500	250	200	100	
Design	200	100	100	50	130	65	
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80	
Reissue	300	150	500	250	600	300	
Provisional	200	100	0	0	0	0	
<b>2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES</b>							
							<u>Small Entity</u>
<b>Fee Description</b>							<b>Fee (\$)</b> <b>Fee (\$)</b>
Each claim over 20 (including Reissues)							50 25
Each independent claim over 3 (including Reissues)							200 100
Multiple dependent claims							360 180
<b>Total Claims</b> <u>20</u> - 20 = _____ x _____ = _____							
<b>Extra Claims</b> _____							
<b>Fee (\$)</b> _____							
<b>Fee Paid (\$)</b> _____							
<b>Multiple Dependent Claims</b>							
<b>Fee (\$)</b> _____							
<b>Fee Paid (\$)</b> _____							
<b>Indep. Claims</b> <u>2</u> - 3 = _____ x _____ = _____							
<b>Extra Claims</b> _____							
<b>Fee (\$)</b> _____							
<b>Fee Paid (\$)</b> _____							
<b>3. APPLICATION SIZE FEE</b>							
If the specification and drawings exceed 100 sheets of paper (excluding electronically filed sequence or computer listings under 37 CFR 1.52(e)), the application size fee due is \$250 (\$125 for small entity) for each additional 50 sheets or fraction thereof. See 35 U.S.C. 41(a)(1)(G) and 37 CFR 1.16(s).							
<b>Total Sheets</b>	<b>Extra Sheets</b>	<b>Number of each additional 50 or fraction thereof</b>	<b>Fee (\$)</b>	<b>Fee Paid (\$)</b>			
_____	- 100 = _____	/50 _____ (round up to a whole number) x _____	= _____				
					<b>Fees Paid (\$)</b>		
<b>4. OTHER FEE(S)</b>							
Non-English Specification, \$130 fee (no small entity discount)							
Other (e.g., late filing surcharge) 1801 Request for continued examination (RCE) (see 37...							
1253 Extension of response within third month							
790.00							
900.00							

<b>SUBMITTED BY</b>			
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		Date	June 5, 2006